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Applicant respectfully requests that a certificate of correction be issued under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 to correct a USPTO error in the above-identified patent. Specifically, in the Ex Parte Reexamination Certificate issued on June 13, 2006, the Assignee field (73) is incorrect. The correct assignee is Trimble Navigation Limited, as clearly shown by the abstract of title from the USPTO assignment records (copy enclosed). The currently-listed (incorrect) assignee, ABN Amro Bank N.V., was the holder of a security interest in the subject patent; however, that security interest was released on 6/20/2005, and the release was recorded by the USPTO on 7/27/2005, nearly a year before the Reexamination Certificate was issued, as shown by the enclosed copy of the abstract of title. Therefore, it is clear that ABN Amro Bank N.V. was incorrectly listed as the assignee on the Reexamination Certificate due to a USPTO error.

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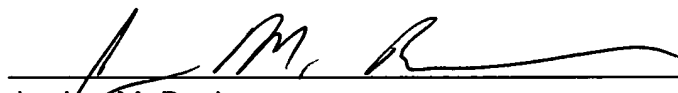
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